

REMARKS

This Application has been carefully reviewed in light of the final Office Action electronically mailed February 27, 2007 (the "Office Action"). Claims 1, 2, 4-15 and 17-38 are pending in the Application. The Office Action allows Claims 1, 2, 4-15, 17-36 and 38 and rejects Claim 37. Applicants cancel Claim 37. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and favorable action in this case.

Allowed Claims

Applicants appreciate the Examiner's indication that Claims 1-2, 4-15, 17-36 and 38 are allowed. While Applicants disagree with the rejection of Claim 37, Applicants cancel that claim to expedite prosecution.

CONCLUSION

Applicants have now made an earnest attempt to place the Application in condition for allowance. For the foregoing reasons and for other reasons clearly apparent, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and full allowance of all pending claims.

If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference or an interview would advance prosecution of this Application in any manner, the undersigned attorney for Applicants stand ready to conduct such a conference at the convenience of the Examiner.

No fee is believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or to credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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